



Building Services Authority

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The best time to build in Queensland is...NOW!

Despite the economic doom and gloom, there has never been a better time for renovating or building a new home in Queensland.

And the Building Services Authority (BSA) is presenting a FREE seminar on how to go about your building project at West End, Brisbane.

The seminar called "Homeowner Guide to Building and Renovating in Queensland" will be held at BSA Head Office, 299 Montague Rd West End on Tuesday 7 April at 6.00pm.

BSA general manager Ian Jennings said because of the economic downturn, building contractors are more likely to be available to start work ASAP, and can offer more competitive rates for homeowners.

"And people lucky enough to live in Queensland benefit from the best-regulated building industry in Australia.

"Licensed Queensland contractors have proved they have the technical skills and financial security to meet BSA's vigorous licensing criteria.

"Homeowners engaging a licensed contractor to do building work are also protected by the statutory Queensland Home Warranty Scheme insurance, which protects them against defects, subsidence and incomplete work.

Mr Jennings said for all these reasons, there has never been a better time to build or renovate in Queensland.

"This BSA seminar is the best place to start if you are looking to improve your most valuable asset and take advantage of these times."

WHAT: "Homeowner Guide to Building and Renovating in Queensland" – a building advice seminar for people wanting to renovate or build their own home

WHERE: BSA Head Office, 299 Montague Road, West End, Brisbane

WHEN: Tuesday 7 April 2009

RSVP: Phone 1300 272 272, or visit www.bsa.qld.gov.au.

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